

Northfield Ramble from Mt. Sugarloaf

Start: Roadside parking area, Rt. 116, 0.2 miles west of Connecticut River, Sunderland, MA

Ride Write-up: Wu-WE028

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Mile	Dir	Road Info/Description
0.0	O L	Start: Left onto Rt. 116 down hill & across the Connecticut River
0.6	L	@ TL onto Rt. 47 north
5.3	ST	Main St (Rt. 47 goes right here)
6.4	KL	@ Montague Center green TCO Main St
6.7	KR	@ bridge, now Turners Falls Rd
7.5	R	Old Northfield Rd (0.6 mi. of dirt)
8.5	L	@ SS on Lake Pleasant Rd (n/s)
9.9	R	Mineral Rd (n/s)
10.1	ST	Cross Millers Falls Rd @ SS onto E. Mineral Rd
11.5	ST	Cross Pedestrian bridge over Millers River
11.6	L	@ end through barrier onto River Rd (n/s); pass under French King Bridge (Rt. 2) truss; follow beside Connecticut River (dirt & rough road surfaces)

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-	ST	Now Avenue A >> Montague City Rd @ 28.1 (gas station)
29.5	L	Greenfield Rd (don't miss it)
31.7	L	@ "Bridge Out" sign onto Hatchery Rd (n/s)
32.1	R	@ end w/ SS onto Montague City Rd
33.7	R	Ferry Rd
34.1	ST	Cross Greenfield Rd (n/s) @ SS TCO Ferry Rd
34.5	L	S. Ferry Rd and across bridge
34.7	BR	Meadow Rd (n/s) >> Falls Rd @ town line (37.4 mi)
37.5	O	<i>Pretty cascade on left (don't block the narrow road)</i>
39.1	R	@ end w/ SS onto Rt. 47 south
40.5	R	@ TL onto Rt. 116 north & across the Connecticut River
41.2	R O	Finish @ road side rest area

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13.2	L	To picnic area at Conn. River
13.3	O	<i>Possible lunch stop (views)</i>
-	RD	Retrace out of picnic area
13.5	L	River Rd >> Pine Meadow Rd (more dirt & rough road)
16.5	L	@ end w/ SS onto Rt. 63 north
19.1	L	Rt. 10 south (careful turning)
20.3	L	Gill Center Rd on gradual climb, before top of hill >> Main Rd
23.6	O	<i>Possible lunch stop in Gill</i>
-	ST	TCO Main Rd
26.9	ST	Cross Rt. 2 @ TL TCO Main Rd
27.3	O	<i>Discovery Center on right just after crossing Conn. River into Turners Falls</i>

Note: opposite the Discovery Center is a fish ladder facility; take Gatehouse Rd to the left of the Town Hall and go 0.1 mile to facility

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Key:

O = Start, Regroup, Finish X = Cross
L = Left Turn R = Right Turn
BL = Bear Left BR = Bear Right
KL = Keep Left KR = Keep Right
QL = Quick Left QR = Quick Right
ST = Straight TCO = To Continue On
SS = Stop Sign RD = Reverse Direction
TL = Traffic Light n/s = no street sign
>> = road name becomes